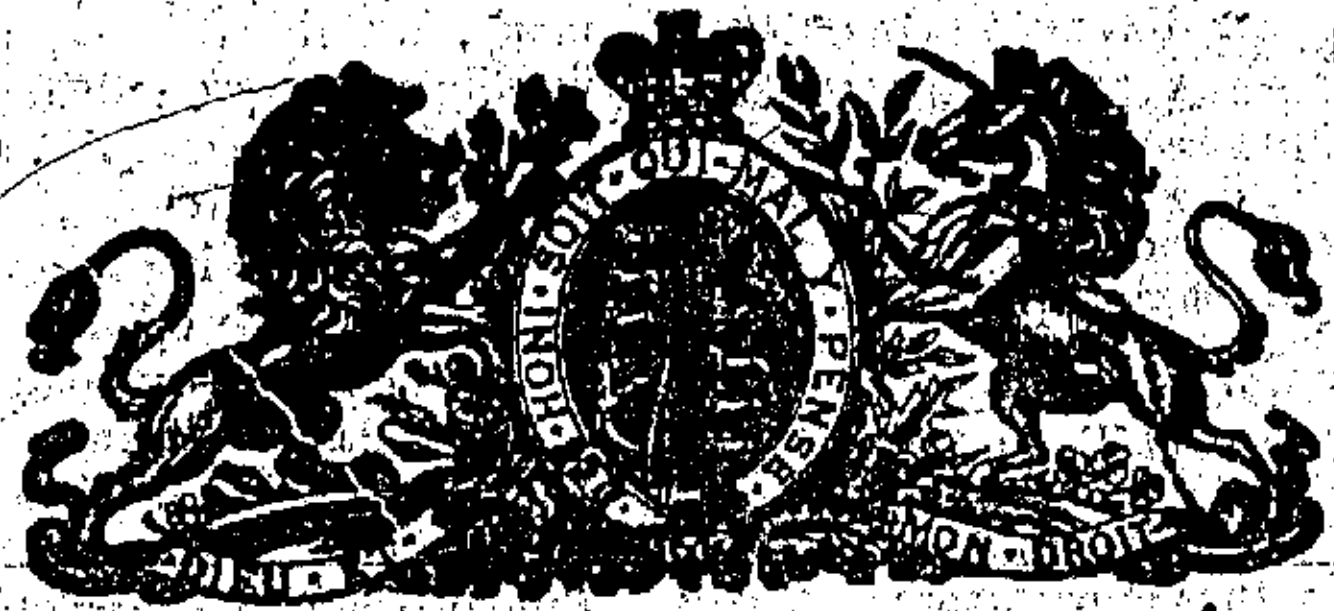


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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

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NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 138, Nassau Street.

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SINGAPORE AND STRAITS.—SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. C. HEINZEL & Co., Manila.

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BANKS.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, 5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND, 1,500,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—W. H. FORBES, Esq.
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Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
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LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, February 15, 1879.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

On Current Accounts at Rates which can be ascertained at their Office.

D. A. J. CROMBIE, Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, November 23, 1878.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL, £2500,000. RESERVE FUND, £1500,000.

BANKERS.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE CITY BANK.

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THE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

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For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
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Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, ON

WEDNESDAY,

the 14th May, 1879, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,—

THE RARE AND VALUABLE

collection of CHINESE & JAPANESE CURIOS, formed by THOS. ARNOLD, Esq.,

Comprising:—Bronzes, Old Szechow, Kioto and Yeddo Gold Lacquer, Carved Ivory Netsukis, Old Satsuma, Banks and Kanga Ware, Nankin and Japan Blue and White Porcelain, an Unique collection of Old Japanese No-dancers Masks, a selection of Fine Old Scrolls, Paintings, &c., &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be on view on and after Monday, the 12th Instant.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer, Hongkong, May 7, 1879. my14

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TO BE SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION, shortly, on a day to be hereafter named, unless previously disposed of by private contract,—

THE HONGKONG DISTILLERY, Situate at East Point, Hongkong, now in Complete Working Order, and Capable of Distilling upwards of 2,000 Gallons daily. The Property is of most valuable nature, comprising THREE

PIECES OF GROUND close to the water, viz.:—Inland Lots Nos. 749, 781 and 782, with the Substantially Built DWELLING HOUSE and BUSINESS PREMISES, erected specially for the purpose only a few years since, together with the MACHINERY, ENGINES, STILL, VATS, STOCK, and TRADE FURNITURE and FITTINGS.

For further Particulars, apply to Messrs SHARP, TOLLER, and JOHNSON, Solicitors, Supreme Court House, Hongkong.

Hongkong, March 5, 1879.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE Business of the Undersigned will in future be conducted under the Firm of SHARP AND DANBY.

SHARP & Co.,

Estate Agents and Valuers, WILLIAM DANBY, C. E., Architect and Surveyor.

No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, lately occupied by Messrs E. D. SASSOON & Co. Hongkong, April 17, 1879. my17

NOTICE.

MR. THOMAS WILLIAM WRIGHT is authorised to SIGN our Firm per Procuration from this Date.

SAYLE & Co.

Hongkong, May 6, 1879. j16

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. WALTER SCOTT FITZ, in our Firm in Hongkong and China, CEASED on the 31st December last.

Mr. CHARLES VINCENT SMITH is admitted a Partner from this Date.

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1879. j11

NOTICE.

MR. JAMES ANDERSON, formerly Manager of the Foochow Dock, has this Day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.

J. INGLIS & Co.,

Victoria Foundry, Wanchai. Hongkong, April 1, 1879. j18

NOW READY.

A CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT. Parts I. and II. A to M, with Introduction. Royal 8vo, pp. 404.—By ERNEST JOHN EITEL, Ph.D. Tubingen.

Price: FIVE DOLLARS, or TWO DOLLARS AND A HALF per Part.

To be had from Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai; and Messrs KELLY & WALKER, Shanghai.

Hongkong, March 1, 1878.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

EUGENE RIMMEL'S TROPICAL FLOWER WATER.

TRADE MARK.

SUPERIOR TO ALL SIMILAR PREPARATIONS. VOGEL & Co., Sole Agents for China.

Hongkong, February 19, 1879. my19

FOR SALE.

THE British Iron Barge "BEN. OLUTHA," 997 Tons Register, as she now lies at anchor in CHEFOO Harbour.

For Particulars, &c., apply to Messrs H. SETAS & Co., Chefoo. Hongkong, April 28, 1879. my28

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.) WASHMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

CHINA MAIL Office.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

THE following in the Description of a EUROPEAN who DIED at the GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL this Morning. The Body now lies in the Hospital for Identification.—Age 35 or 40 years; Complexion, fair; Hair, dark brown; Whiskers, reddish; Eyes, grey; Height, about 5 feet 7 inches. Linen marked J. C., and JOHN CAMPBELL is tattooed on one Arm.

Hongkong, May 12, 1879. my15

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Office, situate at No. 7, Queen's Road, Hongkong, at 3 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 20th Instant, for the purpose of considering such Special Resolution passed the Day.

Dated the 6th day of May, 1879. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. my20

G. FALCONER & Co., WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS, AND JEWELLERS.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS.

48, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, April 21, 1879. my20

PHOTOGRAPHY.

C. POPPELBAUM begs to announce to the Community of Hongkong that he has taken over the BUSINESS of Mr. H. SCHUBERT—well known in Hongkong—and is prepared to take PHOTOGRAPHS daily from 8 a.m. till 1 p.m. Having previously been employed by Mr. SCHUBERT, and had long experience in some of the most Celebrated Studios in Europe, he will take any Work in Photography, and is able to guarantee satisfaction to all who favour him with their Patronage. Photographs enlarged to life-size and finished in Artistic Style. Any Pictures not meeting with the approval of Patrons will not be charged for.

PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO, Wyndham Street.

Hongkong, April 21, 1879. my21

YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Directors have declared an EXTRA DIVIDEND of FIVE PER CENT. on Shareholders Capital, payable at the Office of the Secretaries, on the 28th Instant, to SHAREHOLDERS of Record on the 21st Instant.

By Order of the Directors, RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

Shanghai, 15th April, 1879. my28

NOTICE.

FROM the 1st of OCTOBER, DR. EASTLAKE will receive his PATIENTS at his new DENTAL ROOMS, No. 50, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, over the MEDICAL HALL.

Hongkong, September 23, 1878.

Intimations.

FOR SALE.

HONGKONG ARTILLERY VOLUNTEERS.

ORDERLY ROOM, 19th April, 1879.

It is notified that the DRILLS at present in course will be altered until further Orders to TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, and not, as heretofore, viz., TUESDAYS and THURSDAYS.

A. COXON,

Captain-Commandant H. K. A. V.

CONSULADO DE ESPAÑA EN HONGKONG.

DEBIENDOSE efectuar algunas reparaciones en el Aviso Español "MARQUES DEL DUERO," a saber: la colocación de una hélice y LIMPIAR los FONDOS, se previene a los que deseen efectuar dichas obras, que se admitiran proposiciones al efecto hasta el día 18 del corriente a las 11 A.M., en la Cancillería de este Consulado.

Las proposiciones estarán arregladas a un modelo anexo al pliego de condiciones, que se halla de manifiesto en este Consulado y a bordo del expresado Aviso.

Hongkong, 9 de Mayo 1879. El Consul de España, A. MENGARINI. my16

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS STORAGE.

GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the WHARF, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch.

MEYER & Co., Proprietors. Hongkong, November 29, 1878. my29

NOTICE.

MR. EDWARD BURNIE will Conduct my BUSINESS of MARINE SURVEYOR during my temporary absence from the Colony.

R. H. CAIRNS, Club Chambers, Hongkong, May 6th, 1879. j16

YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with the Articles of Agreement, the Directors have declared a DIVIDEND to POLICYHOLDERS for the FIFTEEN MONTHS ending 31st December 1878, of THIRTY-THREE PER CENT. on the NET PREMIA CONTRIBUTED, payable at our OFFICE on and after the 15th Instant.

POLICYHOLDERS are requested to send in particulars of their Contributions.

By Order of the Directors, RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 5, 1879.

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS will visit SHANGHAI during the Summer Months, leaving HONGKONG on the 1st of April next, and returning about 1st November.

Hongkong, February 10, 1879.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR FOOCHEW (DIRECT.) The Steamship "GLENFALLOCH," Captain TAYLOR, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 14th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, May 10, 1879. my14

FOR SINGAPORE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling off the usual Coast Ports, and taking through Cargo and Passengers for New Zealand.)

The Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Co.'s Steamer "NORMANBY," Captain BLAIR, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 15th Instant, at 2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 5, 1879. my18

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR HOIHOW AND HAIPHONG. The Departure of the Steamship "ATALANTA,"

for the above Ports has unavoidably been POSTPONED until WEDNESDAY, the 14th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, May 12, 1879. my14

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW. The Steamship "KWANGTUNG,"

Capt. PUNCHARD, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 15th Inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAIDLAK & Co. Hongkong, May 12, 1879. my16

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship "VENICE,"

P. L. RHODE, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 17th Inst., at 3 o'clock.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, May 8, 1879. my17

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship "JAPAN,"

Capt. T. S. GARDNER, will leave for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 17th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 8, 1879. my17

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS.

The Company's Steamship "TIGRE,"

Commandant CHAMPENOIS, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, May 3, 1879.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS.

The Company's Steamship "TIGRE,"

Commandant CHAMPENOIS, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, May 3, 1879.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Bark "EDWARD MAY,"

Capt. JOHNSON, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 30, 1879.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 British Ship "CULTRUM,"

BRADLEY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will be despatched on or before the 5th of May.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, April 25, 1879.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The American Bark "VESUVIUS,"

Captain CRUIK, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, May 8, 1879.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 British Ship "ONEIDA,"

Captain CHRYM, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 17, 1879.

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR MANILA.

The Spanish Schooner "NUOVO COSTANTE,"

Captain URIARTE, will have immediate despatch as above.

For Freight, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, May 9, 1879.

FOR HAMBURG.

The British Bark "GOLDEN FLEECE,"

WILKINS, Master.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, May 7, 1879.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Ship "HAZE,"

EVANS, Master.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, April 16, 1879.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 American Ship "EDITH,"

MASON, Master.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, March 28, 1879.

FOR LONDON.

The A 1 American Ship "PRIMA DONNA,"

LUNT, Master.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, March 28, 1879.

Refuges to Consignees.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship Alaska, Captain SEABURY, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

The above Steamer having incurred General Average, Consignees of Cargo and Treasure are notified that a General Average Bond is now lying at our Office and will require their Signature before delivery.

Journal of Management Studies, 19(1), 67-80.

Intimations.

Volume Seventh of the
"CHINA REVIEW."
Now Ready.

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—OF THE—
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Jottings from the Book of Rites.
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Alchemists in China.
Appendix to Wylie's "Coins of the Ch'ing Dynasty." "Hien Fung" Period.
Short Notices of New Books and Literary Intelligence.
Notes and Queries:—
A Few Petty Additions to Dr Douglas' Dictionary.
Trouts in China.
Ancient Vases.
Inheritance.
Greeting the Spring.
Adoption.
The Term Kwal.
Mongol and Yuan-pao.
Leasehold Usage.
Chinese Coins.
Coronation of the King of Lochoo.
The Onigur Alphabet.
Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c.
China Mail Office,
Hongkong, March 21, 1879.

To Let.

TO LET.

OFFICES, GODOWNS, and
GOODS STORED.
Apply to
PUSTAU & Co.,
Praya, Pottinger Street,
Hongkong, April 30, 1879. my30

TO LET—AT WANCHAI.

FIRST CLASS
GODOWNS.
Goods of every description Landed and
Stored.
For terms, apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.,
Hongkong, April 4, 1879. j34

TO LET.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 29 and 31,
HOLLYWOOD ROAD.
Apply to
J. J. DOSREMEDIOS & Co.,
Hongkong, May 9, 1879. j40

"ROSE VILLAS"—FURNISHED OR
UNFURNISHED,
BONNAY ROAD,
WITH Large TENNIS LAWN.
Apply to
SHARP & DANBY,
No. 6, Queen's Road Central,
late Messrs E. D. SASSOON & Co.
Hongkong, May 10, 1879.

TO LET—FURNISHED.

THE OLIFFS, near Mount Gough, con-
taining SIX LARGE ROOMS, &c.
—presently occupied by Dr. ADAMS.
Apply to
MR J. D. HUMPHREYS,
Hongkong Dispensary,
Hongkong, May 8, 1879.

TO LET.

HOUSE No. 9, ZETLAND STREET.
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, April 29, 1879.

TO LET.

(WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.)
NOS. 10 & 12, LYNDBURST TERRACE,
at present occupied by Messrs NUB-
SEY KASSOWITZ & Co.
Apply to
LINSTED & Co.,
Hongkong, April 24, 1879.

TO LET.

OFFICES in CLUB CHAMBERS,
Apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
Hongkong, April 8, 1879.

TO LET.

PORTION of a HOUSE, very suitable
for OFFICES and DWELLING, also
for a STORE, Queen's Road Central.
Possession 1st March next.
Apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.,
Hongkong, February 4, 1879.

TO LET.

IN the Houses on MARINE LOT 63,
formerly known as the Blue Houses,
situate on Praya East:—
FIRST FLOORS of Nos. 2, 8 and 4,
Praya East, with immediate possession.

As also,

FIRST CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS,
attached to Blue Houses at Wanchai,
MARINE LOT 63, and BASEMENT No. 8.

Also,

A SPACIOUS TIMBER YARD, close
to the Wanchai Pier. Timber received on
Storage of the Yard Rented.
For further particulars, apply to
MEYER & Co.,
Hongkong, March 4, 1879.

Halls.



STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE
GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA,
BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-
TERRANEAN PORTS, SOUTH-
AMPTON, AND LONDON;
VIA BOMBAY.

BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
GWAJIOR, Captain J. O. BABOY, will
leave this on TUESDAY, the 20th May, at
Noon.

Tea and General Cargo for London will
be conveyed via Bombay without tranship-
ment, arriving one week later than by the
direct route. Silk and Valuables will be
transferred to the Calcutta steamer at
Galle.

For further Particulars, apply to
A. MEYER, Superintendent.
Hongkong, May 7, 1879. my20

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamships CITY OF
TOKIO and ALASKA, will be de-
parted for San Francisco, via Yokohama,
on TUESDAY, the 20th, and on MON-
DAY, the 26th instant, at 8 p.m. respec-
tively, taking Passengers, and Freight, for
Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-
portation to Yokohama and other Japan
Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and
Inland Cities of the United States via Over-
land Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and
Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central
and South America by the Company's and
connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to
England, France, and Germany by all
trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.
On Through PASSAGES TO EUROPE,
a REDUCTION OF TWENTY PER
CENT from Regular Rates is granted to
OFFICERS of the ARMY and NAVY,
and MEMBERS of the CIVIL and
CONSULAR SERVICES in COMMISS-
ION.

Freight will be received on board until
2 p.m. of 10th May, and 25th respec-
tively. Parcel Packages will be received
at the office until 5 p.m. same day;
all Parcel Packages should be marked to
address in full, value of same required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland
Cargo should be sent to the Company's
Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the
Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, May 8, 1879. my26

Occidental & Oriental Steam-
Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND
PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED
STATES AND EUROPE,
IN CONNECTION WITH THE
CENTRAL
and
UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING
RAILROAD COMPANIES
AND
ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. BELGIO will be despatched
for San Francisco via Yokohama,
on or about May 14th, 1879, at 8
p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers to
Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central
and South America, and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with
Steamers from Shanghai.
Freight will be received on Board until
4 p.m. of the 30th May. PARCEL
PACKAGES will be received at the Office
until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages
should be marked to address in full; value
of same is required.

A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PAS-
SAGE TICKETS.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland
Cargo, should be sent to the Company's
Office addressed to the Collector of Customs,
San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight
on Passage, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.

H. M. BLANCHARD,
Acting Agent.
Hongkong, May 6, 1879. my31

INSURANCES.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underigned, Agents for the above
Company, are prepared to grant In-
surances at current rates.

MELOERS & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

SWISS LLOYD
TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY
OF WINTERTHUR.

THE Underigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company, have
this Day taken over charge of the Hong-
kong Agency, and are prepared to grant
INSURANCE on MARINE RISKS at Current
Rates to all parts of the World.

MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, February 10, 1879.

INSURANCES.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

THE Underigned are prepared to grant
Policies against Fire to the extent of
\$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored
therein, at current local rates, subject to a
Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENTS at all the Treaty Ports of
China and Japan, and at Singapore,
Saigon and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance
granted at the rates of Premium current at
the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.

JAS. B. COUGHTRE,
Secretary.

Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE
COMPANY.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

of

His Majesty King George The First,
A. D. 1720.

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THE Underigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Corporation are
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department.

Policies at current rates payable either
here, in London or at the principal Ports
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at
current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSUR-
ANCE COMPANY.

THE Underigned having been appointed
Agents in Hongkong for the above-
named Company, are prepared to Grant
Policies against FIRE on Buildings and
on Goods to the extent of \$50,000, at the
usual Rates, subject to an immediate Dis-
count of 20 per cent.

Attention is invited to a considerable
reduction in Premium for Life Insurance in
China.

MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, August 13, 1878.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and
Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED, 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

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THE Underigned, AGENTS at Hongkong
for the above Company, are prepared
to grant Policies against FIRE, to the
extent of £10,000 on any Building, or
on Merchandise in the same, at the
usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20
per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY,
(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on
Marine Risks to all parts of the World.

In accordance with the Company's Articles
of Association, Two Thirds of the Profit,
are distributed annually to Contributors
whether Shareholders or not, in proportion
to the net amount of Premium contributed
by each, the remaining third being carried
to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLEE SMITH,
Secretary.

Hongkong, December 9, 1878.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

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THE Underigned are prepared to grant
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms
and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
posals or any other information, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE
COMPANY OF
MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling
of which is paid up £ 100,000
Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000
Annual Income £ 250,000

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THE Underigned have been appointed
Agents for the above Company at
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai,
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant
Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Hongkong, October 15, 1888.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A., near the Kowloon shore Z., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked C., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to the Novelty-Iron Works.
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.
5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
8. From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Line.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers.								
Alaska.....	d	Seabury.....	Amer. str.	3452	May 10	P. M. S. S. Co.	Y'hama & S. F. claco	26th inst.
Argyll.....	3	Scott.....	Brit. str.	1271	May 9	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Hoihow & Halphong	at daylight
Atalanta.....	5	c Petersen.....	Ger. str.	782	May 9	Meyer & Co.		
Bombay.....	1	h.....	Brit. str.	749	Feb. 12	Kwok Acheong		
Caribbrooke.....	2	h Wharton.....	Brit. str.	900	May 18	Bun Hin Chan		
Cassandra.....	3	c Langer.....	Ger. str.	937	May 13	Siemssen & Co.	Saloon	
City of Tokio.....	5	c Maury.....	Amer. str.	5079	May 5	P. M. S. S. Co.	Y'hama & San F. claco	Malis, 20th
Dale.....	2	h Thompson.....	Brit. str.	650	May 10	Tuen Fat Hong		
Diamante.....	5	h Thebaud.....	Brit. str.	514	May 13	Russell & Co.	Amoy	
Fame.....	6	h Stopani.....	Brit. str.	117	H. K. & W'poo Dock Co.		Tug flying
Flour Castle.....	2	h Kidder.....	Brit. str.	1822	May 8	Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Flintshire.....	5	c Thomas.....	Brit. str.	1236	May 9	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Saloon	To-morrow
Gleniffer.....	2	c Graham.....	Brit. str.	1411	May 11	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Glenfalloch.....	2	c Taylor.....	Brit. str.	1386	May 9	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Foochow	at daylight
Graving.....	3	c Echevaria.....	Span. str.	396	May 13	Remedios & Co.		
Japan.....	5	h Gardner.....	Brit. str.	1865	May 7	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	S'pore, Calcutta, &c.	17th, 3 p.m.
Kwangtung.....	6	h Purnochard.....	Brit. str.	675	May 10	Douglas, Lapraik & Co.	Coast Ports	15th inst.
Leyte.....	5	b Zulaquiere.....	Span. str.	312	April 8	Russell & Co.	Saloon	K'loon Dock
Maharajah.....	2	h Clark.....	Brit. str.	994	May 29	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Saloon	To-day
Normandy.....	5	c Ellis.....	Brit. str.	650	May 11	Melchers & Co.	Saloon	15th inst.
Penedo.....	5	c Atkinson.....	Brit. str.	1197	May 7	Russell & Co.		
Scotland.....	3	h Haydon.....	Amer. str.	48	Mar. 24	China Traders Insurance Co.		
Sea Gull.....	5	c Morge.....	Ech. str.	2084	May 10	Messageries Maritimes	Marseilles, &c.	To-day
Sindh.....	5	c Reeves.....	Brit. str.	1029	May 8	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama	Malis
Sunda.....	5	c Pontois.....	Foh. str.	1004	May 10	Messageries Maritimes	Yokohama	Malis
Tibre.....	5	h Rhodes.....	Brit. str.	1271	May 7	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	S'pore, Calcutta, &c.	17th, 3 p.m.
Venice.....	1	h Bauer.....	Brit. str.	Russell & Co.		
Zephyr.....	1	h Bauer.....	Brit. str.	Russell & Co.		
Sailing Vessels.								
Abbie N. Franklin.....	4	k Howes.....	Amer. bqe.	460	Mar. 6	Captain		
Alpen.....	1	c Falconer.....	Brit. bqe.	665	April 27	Borneo Co., Limited		
Alexa.....	3	c Robb.....	Brit. bqe.	424	April 20	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Foochow	
Anna Bertha.....	2	k Krause.....	Ger. bqe.	468	May 3	Siemssen & Co.		
Annie W. Weston.....	3	c Winser.....	Amer. bqe.	740	April 29	Order		
Black Prince.....	7	c Hewer.....	Brit. str.	751	May 4	Douglas, Lapraik & Co.		
Bua Pan.....	2	h Moller.....	Span. str.	674	April 26	Kin Tye Loong	Bangkok	Cleared
Cilungh.....	2	c Beadle.....	Brit. str.	1886	April 24	Vogel & Co.	San Francisco	Ab'deen Dock
Edith.....	4	c Manson.....	Amer. str.	1173	April 30	Vogel & Co.		
Edward M.....	7	c Johnson.....	Amer. bqe.	928	April 8	Russell & Co.	New York	
Faugh Balaugh.....	4	c Rute.....	Ger. bqe.	240	April 26	Carlowitz & Co.		
Fulda.....	1	k Basson.....	Ger. bqe.	884	May 8	Melchers & Co.	Callao	
Gertrude.....	3	c France.....	Brit. bqe.	483	April 18	Carlowitz & Co.	Hamburg	Wanchai Pier
Golden Pledge.....	5	c Willshire.....	Brit. bqe.	808	Mar. 10	Vogel & Co.		
Hattie E. Tapley.....	3	c Tapley.....	Amer. str.	946	April 25	Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Haze.....	4	c Evans.....	Amer. str.	862	April 13	Vogel & Co.	New York	
Henrik Ibsen.....	3	k Daa.....	Norw. bqe.	274	May 11	Edvard Schellhaas & Co.		
Hermine.....	2	c Meyer.....	Ger. bqe.	850	May 19	Edvard Schellhaas & Co.		
Highlander.....	4	k Hutchinson.....	Amer. str.	1352	June 19	Vogel & Co.		
Hongkong.....	3	c Oam.....	Ger. Sm. str.	219	May 10	Chinese		
John R. Stanhope.....	2	c Pillsbury.....	Amer. bqe.	407	May 5	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Mammon.....	7	c Wass.....	Amer. str.	850	April 13	Melchers & Co.		
Nuevo Constante.....	1	c Uriarte.....	Span. sch.	203	May 9	Remedios & Co.	Manila	
Onaida.....	4	c Olyma.....	Brit. str.	2293	Mar. 15	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
Patia.....	5	k Schults.....	Ger. bqe.	395	May 1	Stemssen & Co.		
Pheta.....	3	c Schell.....	Brit. bqe.	576	April 10	Wielor & Co.	Callao	
Phiona Donna.....	5	c Lunt.....	Amer. str.	1450	April 16	Vogel & Co.	London	
Queen of India.....	8	c Cary.....	Brit. bqe.	890	April 10	Wielor & Co.		
Rosebud.....	3	c Collier.....	Brit. Sm. str.	341	April 20	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Sumatra.....	3	k Clough.....	Amer. str.	1090	Sept. 5	Russell & Co.		
Yacutus.....	8	c Cull.....	Amer. bqe.	813	April 29	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
Yong Siam.....	2	c Benadictson.....	Slam. str.	701	May 9	Kin Tye Loong		
Zouave.....	3	c Means.....	Amer. str.	1202	April 25	Captain		
WHAMPOA								
Florence Nightingale.....		McIntyre.....	Brit. bqe.	464	May 7	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Malvina.....		Kluge.....	Ger. bqe.	479	May 7	Captain		
CANTON								
Chin-tung.....		Gibbon.....	Chi. str.	724	May 11	C. M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	
Chingpo.....		Cass.....	Brit. str.	761	May 11	Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	